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4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
5 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
6 AT TACOMA

7 GEORGE O. MITCHELL,

8 Plaintiff,

9 v.

10 KELLY CUNNINGHAM, DR.
11 THOMAS BELL, RANDAL GRIFFITH,
12 CRHISTEIN HAUETER, and PAUL
13 TEMPOSKY,

14 Defendants.

No. C12-5403 BHS/KLS

ORDER GRANTING INFORMA
PAUPERIS STATUS

15 Before the Court is Plaintiff's application for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*. ECF

16 No. 1. Plaintiff's application for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* shall be **GRANTED**.

17 Plaintiff is currently detained at the Special Commitment Center in Steilacoom, Washington, and
18 does not appear to have funds available to afford the \$350.00 court filing fee.

19 The Clerk is directed to mail a copy of this Order to Plaintiff.

20 **DATED** this 16th day of May, 2012.

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23 Karen L. Strombom
24 United States Magistrate Judge
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